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Committee: Health and Human Services

A BILL

1 FOR AN ACT relating to the Uniform Licensing Law; to amend section
2 71-104.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative Supplement, 2006;
3 to change provisions relating to criminal background
4 checks as prescribed; and to repeal the original section.
5 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 Section 1. Section 71-104.01, Revised Statutes Cumulative
2 Supplement, 2006, is amended to read:

3 71-104.01 (1) An applicant for an initial license to
4 practice a profession which is authorized to prescribe controlled
5 substances shall be subject to a criminal background check. ~~The~~
6 Except as provided in subsection (3) of this section, the applicant
7 shall submit with the application a full set of fingerprints which
8 shall be forwarded to the Nebraska State Patrol to be submitted to
9 the Federal Bureau of Investigation for a national criminal history
10 record information check. The applicant shall authorize release of
11 the results of the national criminal history record information
12 check to the department. The applicant shall pay the actual cost of
13 the fingerprinting and criminal background check.

14 (2) This section shall not apply to dentists who are
15 applicants for temporary practice rights under subdivision (5) of
16 section 71-183.01 or to physicians and surgeons who are applicants
17 for temporary practice rights under subdivision (9) of section
18 71-1,103.

19 (3) An applicant for a temporary educational permit as
20 defined in section 71-1,107.01 shall have ninety days from the
21 issuance of the permit to comply with subsection (1) of this
22 section and shall have his or her permit suspended after such
23 ninety-day period if the criminal background check is not complete
24 or revoked if the criminal background check reveals that the
25 applicant was not qualified for the permit.

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- 1 Sec. 2. Original section 71-104.01, Revised Statutes
- 2 Cumulative Supplement, 2006, is repealed.